

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Architects, Except Landscape and Naval (17-1011)

Associated Occupation: Interior Designers (27-1025)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 80

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Design	5.2	21.2	25.0	>> Current knowledge level is likely more than sufficient
Customer and Personal Service	11.3	17.5	16.2	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Building and Construction	4.0	15.7	22.4	>> Current knowledge level is likely more than sufficient
Administration and Management	8.4	12.6	14.9	> Current knowledge level is likely sufficient
Sales and Marketing	5.2	12.6	14.0	> Current knowledge level is likely sufficient
Fine Arts	2.2	11.1	10.4	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient
History and Archeology	2.6	7.6	7.2	0 Current knowledge level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 87

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Coordination	9.1	11.4	12.6	> Skill level is likely sufficient
Service Orientation	7.9	11.2	9.8	< A higher skill level may be required
Persuasion	7.4	10.8	10.8	0 Current skill level may be sufficient
Negotiation	6.8	10.1	10.8	0 Current skill level may be sufficient
Operations Analysis	5.0	9.7	12.7	>> Skill level is likely more than sufficient
Management of Material Resources	3.7	7.1	8.8	> Skill level is likely sufficient

Management of Financial Resources	3.3	6.7	9.5	>>	Skill level is likely more than sufficient
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Abilities		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 94			
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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Oral Comprehension	12.5	14.4	15.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Originality	7.6	14.3	15.0	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Oral Expression	12.4	13.6	15.4	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient
Visualization	7.5	13.5	16.9	>>	Current ability level is likely more than sufficient
Near Vision	11.1	12.5	15.7	>>	Current ability level is likely more than sufficient
Fluency of Ideas	7.6	12.2	15.2	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient
Written Comprehension	11.0	12.2	14.5	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient
Visual Color Discrimination	6.4	11.6	11.2	0	Current ability level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 85
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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity	
Advise clients or customers	19	
Design office layout	92	
Draw prototypes, plans, or maps to scale	57	
Make presentations	13	
Manage contracts	73	
Negotiate business contracts	60	
Prepare contract documents	78	
Use computer aided drafting or design software for design, drafting, modeling, or other engineering tasks	58	
Use creativity in designing interior spaces	87	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 79

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Business function specific software	1
Cameras	2
Computer printers	2
Computers	1
Content authoring and editing software	1
Drafting supplies	9
Industry specific software	1
Information exchange software	1
Measuring and layout tools	3
Network applications software	1

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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